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VIA ECF

The Honorable Edgardo Ramos
United States District Court
Southern District of New York

MEMO ENDORSED

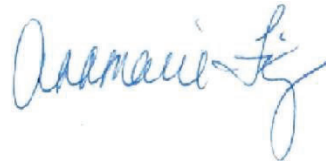
RE: *United States v. Peaches Stergo*, Case No. 1:23-cr-00020-ER

Dear Judge Ramos,

The above-referenced case is scheduled for a Pretrial Conference on March 2, 2023, at 11:30 A.M. The defendant, Peaches Stergo, wishes to waive her appearance and I am requesting to appear remotely.

I have conferred with counsel for the government who objects to this request. Specifically, AUSA Adam Sowlati stated that his objection to my remote appearance at the Pretrial Conference is that, "in these circumstances, with our desire to move forward quickly, remote appearance is not warranted."

Sincerely,



Ann Fitz, Attorney for Defendant

Defendant's application to waive her appearance at the March 2, 2023 conference and Defense Counsel's application to appear remotely are granted. The parties are (877) 411-9748 and enter access code 3029857# when prompted.

SO ORDERED.



Edgardo Ramos, U.S.D.J.

Dated: 2/28/2023

New York, New York